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One Cent

NEW CHURCH TO BE FINISHED BY ST. JEROME'S CONGREGATION THIS YEAR

SUPPOSED BLACK HAND AGENT CAUGHT IN CHARLEROI AFTER YEAR'S SEARCH

Contract to be Let Shortly so That Work Can be Started Early in the Spring

REV. FRIES SEES BISHOP

Amount Requested Before Start is Made Now in Sight -- Plans Prepared Some Time Ago

Rev. W. D. Fries, pastor of St. Jerome's Catholic church, yesterday morning announced to his congregation that the contract for building the superstructure of the new church will be let as soon as possible and that the church will be built this year. This followed a visit to the bishop of the Pittsburgh diocese made last week by Father Fries, when the former examined the accounts of the church and by the financial statement was shown that the church was in shape financially to build. Something over \$6,000 is in the bank, and lately subscribed to the building is an amount something over \$3,000. Social affairs are planned by which the remaining amount of the \$10,000 required to start can be raised. The superstructure will cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

The foundations and basement of the new church were finished some time ago, and within the past year or two the last payment made. Since that time the congregation has raised the amount now in the bank. The superstructure will be completed as originally designed by Architect John T. Comes of Pittsburgh. The style of the architecture is an adaptation of modern English Gothic to the building conditions of America. The clear-story columns and arches are to be of Indiana limestone. The Gothic tracery windows will either be of concrete or stone. A large and massive tower will beautify the appearance of the structure. The sanctuary will be unusually deep and spacious to provide room for a boy choir. The brick used in the superstructure will be the same as that used for the basement and the roof will be covered with a variegated green and purple slate.

St. Jerome's congregation has had in his history two pastors, Rev. Robert McDonald and Rev. W. D. Fries. Rev. Fries came here in 1905. He ministered to the wants of the parish alone until 1908 when Rev. T. A. Connors came as an assistant. Succeeding assistants were Rev. O. J. Kirby and Rev. Axmacher who is now here. Rev. Fries has done much for the church during his pastorate and received the compliment from the bishop of having the best paying congregation in the Pittsburgh diocese. The first church of the congregation was on Crest avenue, which was sold some time ago and is now owned by the borough school board and occupied as a school house. For the past six years St. Jerome's congregation has occupied the basement of the new church.

Tuesday Night

Bank Hall, Dancing School. Prof. Oatman will teach the Cuban Waltz. Class 7:30. Social dance 9 to 12. Come and learn to dance in two lessons as others have done. 155t

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

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New Church Proposed of St. Jeromes' Congregation at Corner of Washington Avenue and Seventh Street to Cost Between \$40,000 and \$50,000

IMPORTANT CASES UP

Criminal Court Convenes Today at Washington.

RAILROAD CASE FIRST

The February term of criminal court will be convened this afternoon at 1 o'clock. There are a number of cases listed for today and they will not likely all be reached. The grand jury will also be in session a part of this week, not having completed its work last week. The first case listed for this afternoon is against H. F. Smith, the railroad detective, charged with indecent assault upon Miss Iva Bush a telegrapher, formerly employed at the Baird station tower of the P. V. and C. road. The following is the trial list for today:

H. F. Smith, William Barrett, Minnie Gillen, Bell Kamboos, William H. Lennox, Mrs. Lizzie Baxley, W. A. Divens, Ralph Holmes.

Sixty days in jail, a fine of \$100 and costs were imposed upon William Murray of Washington, who Saturday entered a plea of guilty to the charge of keeping a gambling house. In default of the payment of the fine and costs the defendant's sentence will be extended to five months in jail. The sentence is similar to that imposed upon the three Monongahela men on Monday.

Childrens Dancing School

Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6. Lessons 25 cents. Bank Hall. 155t

Mrs. Arthur Day left this morning for Harrisburg, where she will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. J. K. Tener.

BIG AUDIENCE AT M. E. CHURCH

Sunday Evangelistic Services Occasion for Bringing Out Large Number.

Sunday morning at the Methodist Episcopal church Rev. J. H. Miller, D. D., of Pittsburgh district superintendent of the Washington District Methodist Episcopal denomination preached a strong sermon on "Spiritual Declension." A large congregation was present.

At night the church was crowded and the pastor preached on "God's Mother-love." Several persons signified their intention to lead a Christian life and marked interest was manifested by the congregation. Six persons have been received into the church by certificate and a large class will be admitted on profession of faith next Sunday. The interest and results are so manifest that it has been decided to continue the services during this week. Services will begin tonight at 7:30 when the pastor will preach on "The Gates of the City."

BROOM FACTORY FOR CHARLEROI

Charleroi is to have an up-to-date broom factory and wholesale house, but whether or not it will bring a reduction of prices in brooms is a question. Samuel Riggle is the proprietor of the plant. He has already started up at 429 Shady avenue. Three men will be employed at the place.

TESTS ARE ANNOUNCED

Civil Service Examinations Will be Held This Spring.

MANY POSITIONS OFFERED

W. E. McFall, the local secretary of the U. S. Civil Service board, has received notice that competitive examinations under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service commission will be held soon throughout the United States. There is a large list of positions on which these examinations will be held, ranging from agricultural inspector to wireman and including all classes of work. Male stenographers are much desired. The Commission has been unable to supply the demand for male stenographers and typewriters, especially at Washington, D. C. Young men who are willing to accept appointment at an entrance salary of \$840 to \$960 per annum have excellent opportunities of appointment. Advancement of capable appointees is reasonably rapid.

Mr. and Mrs. James Bateman, Sr., of West Middlesex, who have been visiting relatives in Charleroi for the past two weeks, returned to their home today. Mrs. George Wagner accompanied them to Pittsburgh.

Large crowds of out of town shoppers visited Charleroi Saturday night, and all the business places did a thriving business. Several of the stores advertised special sales and these attracted large crowds of buyers.

Damage Done to Extent of \$800

Sunday Morning Fire Practically Destroys Tinning Establishment

Damage to the extent of \$860 or \$1,000 was done by fire at the tin shop of F. H. Ransom on McKean avenue, near Seventh street, early Sunday morning. Practically all the stock inside the building was destroyed. Mr. Ransom had insurance sufficient to cover the greater part of the loss.

The flames are supposed to have started about the middle of the building, probably on the second floor. By the time the conflagration was discovered, they had eaten their way into various parts of the shop. Promptly upon the turning in of the fire alarm the firemen responded and within 15 minutes had the fire under control and not long after entirely extinguished.

FIRES INTO CROWD AND HURTS SIX

Negro Takes Severe Methods of Getting Revenge

TROUBLE OVER A DRINK

After having been knocked down and beaten up by foreigners, whom he is said to have refused a drink, Lusk Moxely, a negro is charged with having shot and wounded six foreigners at Manown late Saturday night.

Joe Melena, 27 years old, was shot in the right leg, 33 shot lodging in the limb. He was taken to the McKeesport Hospital today. Powell Zeth, 33 years old, was shot in the left leg, 46 shot lodging in the leg. He was taken to the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburgh today. Adam Saboski, 46 years old and Joe Silagoksi, 26 years old, were shot in the legs, as were two other foreigners.

It is stated that when the negro upon request refused to give one of the foreigners a drink the foreigner promptly knocked him down and others assisting beat the latter up. After being released Moxely went home and secured a shot gun. Returning to the Manown Hotel where he suspected the foreigners would be, he fired six charges in the door. A panic ensued and the man ran to his home, where he was later arrested by Constable Hobaugh.

Show February 22

Because of a mixup of dates which occurred in the Chicago booking office, "The Rosary", which was announced to appear at the Coyle Theatre on February 21, will not be here until February 22.

Italian Alleged to Have Been Concerned in Colorado Outrage Arrested Here Today

CENTANNI WAS VICTIM

Demand Made That \$2,000 be Placed in Certain Locality--One Man Shot and Killed in Subsequent Fight.

In the arrest this morning of a man supposed to be Jack Mascarello, Chief of Police C. W. Albright thinks he has captured a much wanted Black Hand, of Pueblo, Colo. The arrest was made at the instance of Tony Centanni, formerly of Pueblo, who was in March, 1910, made a victim of the alleged Black Hand society of the Colorado city.

Tony Centanni, received a Black Hand letter in March of last year requesting him to leave \$2,000 at a certain spot. Arrangements were made to leave a little money and a roll of paper in the place and a posse of officers under Deputy Sheriff Joe Reilly would watch, and when the time came make the arrest of the men coming after the money. All went well. Three men approached the spot and after they had secured the packages and were about to leave hostilities were opened. One man, Sam Falconi, was shot and killed, but the two others escaped. Since that time efforts have been made to catch the two. Centanni, as well as other citizens and the better class of Italians of the city, have been conducting the search. Centanni has been moving about from place to place, having been threatened through letters that his life was not worth much if caught.

About six months ago, Mascarello is said to have come here. Through the help of friends in this section Centanni traced him, and yesterday came to Monessen and through a friend notified Chief of Police Albright. This morning the man was arrested and Centanni came here. The affair has caused some commotion in local Italian circles because of the prominence of the man arrested.

A telegram was sent to Deputy Sheriff Reilly at Pueblo informing him that Mascarello had been apprehended, and asking what disposition should be made of the case. It is expected that an effort will be made to have him taken to Colorado for a hearing.

Removal

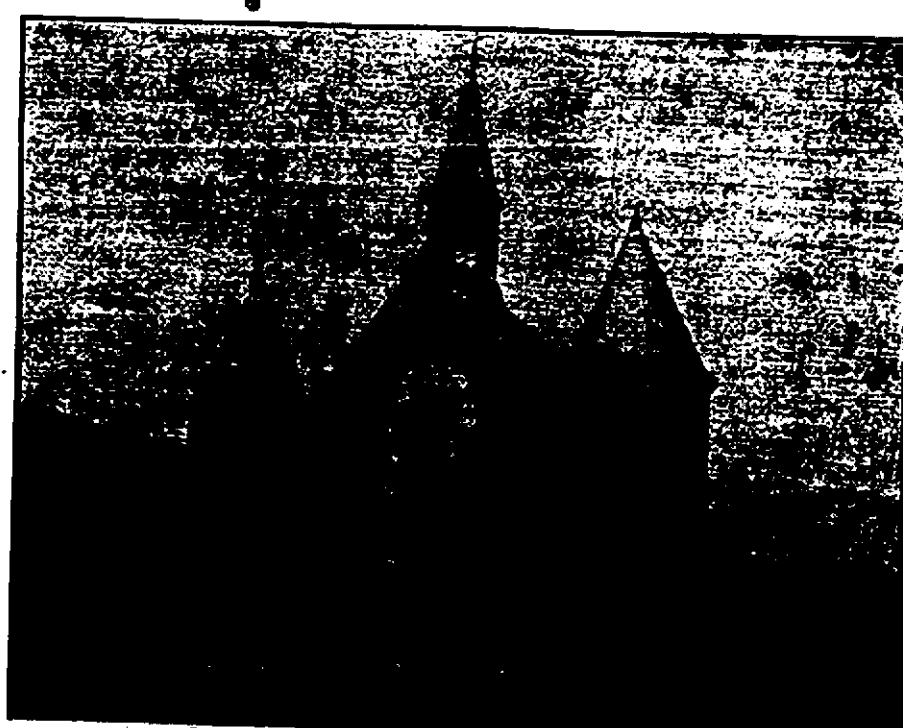
Having purchased the property at 415 Fallowfield avenue, I will move my dyeing, cleaning and tailoring establishment there on February 15, where I will be better prepared than ever to serve my patrons and take care of all trade in my line.

159t3 R. O. Vetter.

Entertainment

The Junior Christian Endeavors of the Washington Avenue church will reproduce Tuesday evening at the church the entertainment "Over Sea and Land." All are invited. 158t2

Miss Ward of Pittsburgh is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shilling.



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Feb. 13 in American History.

1728—Cotton Mather, famous in the New England witchcraft raid, died; born 1663.
1766—Benjamin Franklin appeared before the house of commons to plead the cause of the American colonies.
1789—General Ethan Allen, the Green Mountain hero, died; born 1739.
1843—Commodore Isaac Hull, American naval hero, commander of the famous frigate Constitution, died; born 1773.
1886—A flood memorable in the annals of New England reached its height.
1897—John Randolph Tucker, a noted Virginian, died; born 1823. General Joseph O. Shelby, celebrated west of the Mississippi as a dashing Confederate cavalry commander, died.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.)
Sun sets 5:27, rises 6:50; moon rises 5:52 p. m.

For County Commissioner

JOHN J. CAIRNS,
ROSCOE, PA.
Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911.

What it Costs.

Along with talk of State laws governing weights and measures should be a net weight container law—a statute governing the weights and contents of every package of food products sold. Such a law has been passed in North Dakota, and after its enforcement the Food Commissioner of that State asserts that there was an increase of from 17 to 21 per cent in the contents of canned goods alone, without corresponding increase in price. The people of that State are now getting what formerly they paid for and didn't get.

A recent magazine writer states that according to the report of the Massachusetts legislative committee which investigated the high cost of living, one brand of oat flakes cost 7.5 cents a pound in packages, as against 3.3 cents in bulk. Corn meal cost in packages 5.6 cents as against 2.5 cents in bulk. Soda biscuit, with the corners cut off, costs 15 cents a pound in packages that can be bought in bulk for 10 cents. Bacon that can be bought at from 30 to 35 cents a pound in bulk costs 57 cents in glass cans. How many people would buy food products at those prices if they knew what they were paying as compared with actual weight?

The extent of this overcharge can be realized when it is considered that fully ninety per cent of all groceries sold nowadays is in package form. While the package does not state the weight, it approximates the pound or two-pound package in bulk, but is short enough to pay for the package, the cost of putting the product up, at the retail selling price. No one is to blame for this condition but the people themselves, and when each package is required to tell its net weight or contents, the public will not pay for what it does not get.

Producers' Gas

With natural gas a monopoly, and constantly rising in price whenever the companies think the public will stand for a raise, cheap fuel can no longer be held out as an inducement for manufacturing concerns in this natural gas territory. In seeking to overcome this obstacle and build up their town, the member of the Washington Board of Trade have been investigating producers' gas as a fuel for manufacturing plants. This is gas produced from coal as needed by a specially devised apparatus, which has been brought to a large degree of perfection. Experts who install these plants say that at the county seat with the prevailing price of coal producers' gas can be supplied at an equivalent of eight cents a thousand cubic feet as compared with natural gas.

This is a question that should be investigated along the river district. With the advancing price of natural gas cheap fuel is no longer an asset. Coal, of course, is abundant and cheap, but in the modern process of many lines of manufacturing fuel gas is essential. With the abundance of coal this gas can be produced more cheaply than natural gas. Plants of this sort would be doubly valuable, inasmuch as they would consume a basic product of the valley that at present has to contend with great competition and consequently low markets. The Pittsburgh Plate Glass company and some of the other big plants have long used producers' gas, and its merits should be investigated as to its utility for small concerns.

Would Help All

President Taft's resolute stand for better trade relations with Canada is a step in the right direction, and should command the support of the people. Canada is virtually a part of us, and we have shown our friendliness to our northern neighbor by leaving the border unprotected and unfortified from a military point of view. An agreement now to have unrestricted trade across the imaginary line that separates the two countries should have the effect of bettering conditions all around.

Following out the theory of protection to home industries, there is a disposition on the part of some of the minor interests to file some objections to reciprocal trade with Canada. Investigation, however, shows that Canada's surplus agricultural products do not anywhere approximate our own, and that this country exports millions of dollars' worth of agricultural products more each year than does Canada. With unrestricted trade and a domain of free land across the border, a large community of interests can be promoted. Canada has the land and the resources to be developed, and we have the people and the manufactures to help along this development that will benefit us as much as our neighbor.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Of course seeing that Charleroi is to have a new station we are not averse to Monongahela getting one. We never were.

Pearly put up his overcoat to settle a restaurant bill. Doc Cook would have put up a bluff.

Saturday is just as much a week day as the rest of the days in the week. The difference is that it comes at the end.

Of course the eager populace are impatiently waiting the arrival of pictures of that vulgar Mexican war.

Belle Vernon must be getting prosperous. A place that can support chicken thieves as it has been doing certainly must hold some of this world's goods.

Anybody can ride on those aviation frames that wants to, but not until

we are ready to kick the bucket and have boosted our insurance to about \$150,000 need they ask us to go.

The most popular way for a woman to get a fortune is to get a rich man, get him married to her, get a divorce and get alimony.

Our honored eagle likewise brings his share of strange regrets—They've decked his ankles out in things That look like pantalets.

The Monessen congregation that wants "Billy" Sunday to come there had better think where it can raise \$10,000 handily before it even writes to him.

Conversation is one of the side lights on Cupid's carriage; it is also one of the blights of civilization.

Women talk about cooks and clothes and the men about weather and women. Wouldn't it be much better if the women would confine their time more to their knitting and the men more to a better method of letting the other fellow have his share of rights?

The woman who makes up her mind to keep still a certain length of time is never successful in her desire for the reason that she immediately wants to talk about it.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"The inhumanity and selfishness that one hears in connection with the management of hospitals, sanitariums and other public institutions was most forcibly brought to notice by a letter I received from a friend last week, announcing the death of her brother of tuberculosis," said a Charleroi woman in a company where the subject of charitable institutions was under discussion recently. "My friend, who is a young woman, was in Florida with her invalid father, while her brother had been sent to one of the noted sanitariums in this State for treatment for tuberculosis."

"A short time ago the young woman received a telegram from the officials of the sanitarium announcing that the death of her brother was imminent. She at once started for his bedside. Arriving there on a Wednesday, she was informed that she must remove the dying man from the institution before the following Friday. She of course objected to this order, and on insisting for a reason for this barbarous proceeding, was flaily informed that the action was taken to keep down the death rate of the sanitarium. The order was imperative, and the dying man was removed just in time to expire outside of the institution."

"I don't know whether this institution gets State aid or not, but to my mind such an inhuman policy should be investigated. An institution that solicits patients and then kicks them out when they are dying should not be permitted to exist."

While the realism of the photoplay of the moving pictures is something startling and infinitely ahead of real stage productions, because of the wide range of possibilities as to scenery, properties and surroundings, there are occasionally some in congruities and inconsistencies as to detail that are highly amusing to some of the spectators. For instance, at one of the local houses recently the plot of a northern melodrama took the scene of action into the lumber woods. Brawny woodsmen were at work felling trees for sawlogs. Their axe work, however was something ridiculous. The haggling gashes they made in the tree trunks clearly showed them to be posing for the scene.

"Humph" snorted an old-time lumberman in the audience. "Them fellers at work there never had hold of an axe before."

Some of the other incongruities that are frequently witnessed in colonial pictures are Revolutionary battles scenes where the soldiers fight with breech-loading Springfield rifles of the type discarded by our Government for the Krag-Jorgensens shortly before the Spanish-American war. This, however is no worse than a recent display of old fire arms in the window of one of our local stores, where a brace of percussion lock horse pistols was labeled: "Used in the battle of Bunker Hill."

"Hell isn't half as hot as it used to be," remarked an elderly man who was a recent visitor to Charleroi. "When I make this statement I do not want to be understood as scoffing at any person's religious belief," he continued. "I am simply stating a truth as to the change that has been wrought in the religious sentiment of the times as well as in political, social and material matters."

"When I was a boy sixty years ago and lived in a small rural community the subject of religion was a burning question that was seldom absent from

popular thought and action. The salvation of the individual soul was the aim and object of all creeds, and to attain this the fear of hell—the real, burning lake of fire and brimstone, was pictured in its awful effects. The soul of the individual sinner was the preoccupation of all ministers of the gospel, and every community was disturbed over great religious controversies regarding predestination, free will, and other doctrinal questions.

"Today little attention is given to the old-time theories of future punishment that used to terrorize people. The regeneration of collective humanity and the redemption of society are the foremost questions with the modern church. The gospel of fear had given way to the gospel of love, and men and women make better resolves and devote themselves unselfishly to the uplift of humanity for the love they bear their fellows, instead of being actuated by the fear of being committed to a burning lake of fire and brimstone for trivial derelictions.

"Is the world better than it was sixty years ago? Infinitely so. We hear much about the worldly selfishness of humanity, but there is a thousand times more human kindness, charity and tolerance individually than when I was a boy. Collectively there's a big change for the better when each individual thinks kindly of his neighbors and fellow beings instead of being chiefly concerned in saving his own skin."

CHILDREN INJURED

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The Tombigbee.

"Do you know the origin of the name of the Tombigbee river?" asked the well informed man. "Well," he went on, "it is Choctaw, every syllable, only the word is not 'Tombigbee'; it is 'Tom-bi Ik-bi,' two words, the 'T' being short in each instance. Long ago Choctaws inhabited the section now embraced within the states of Mississippi and Alabama and traversed by the stream that now was about. Nearly a century ago a white man—a carpenter—came among the Indians. He lived on the banks of the stream and among other things made rude coffins for burials. Indians at that time 'buried' their dead upon an arbor supported by poles, but they gradually came to the white man's custom of burying in earth and went to the white man carpenter to get their boxes. From this incident, I am told, the stream received its name. 'Tom-bi' meaning box and 'Ik-bi' meaning make or maker, only they added the word 'bee,' which signifies river or creek, so, literally translated, the combination means 'the river where lives the man that makes boxes.' Time as well as the Anglo-Saxon disposition to round corners in pronunciation Anglicized 'Tom-bi Ik-bi' into 'Tombigbee.'—Wichita Eagle.

The Getaway Fellows.

"What is this 'wanderlust' you read of so often as compelling people to leave home?" "I don't know," replied Mr. Cumrox; "but, judging from my observation of people who have it, 'wanderlust' is German for 'creditors.'—Washington Star.

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2,500 5 room house, McKean Avenue.
2,000 5 room house, street improved, Washington Avenue.
2,000 6 room house, gas, water, Lucia Avenue.
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Hindu Juggling.

The Hindu jugglers and acrobats are the most skillful in the world. One of the latest stories told of them is about a performer who went through many wonderful feats perched on the top of a single bamboo stick about fifteen feet in height. The top of the stick was tied to a girdle around his waist, and a leg rest was provided by a cushion, a few feet down the pole. Perched on this slender stick he hopped and danced about in the liveliest way, accompanied by the tapping of a drum. It would be considered a skillful feat to walk about with ease on a pair of stilts fifteen feet in height, but this Hindu showed a marvelous power of equilibrium on a single stick. He did other things even more wonderful. For example, he balanced a light stick on his nose and a heavy one on his chin and then threw the heavy one into the air with his head and caught it on the end of a light one. While balancing the two sticks thus, end on end, he made one revolve in one direction and the other in the opposite direction.

"Grey" and "Gray."

What is the difference, if any, between "grey" and "gray," aside from the matter of spelling?

The editor of the Oxford Dictionary some years ago made extended inquiry as to usage and found that opinions in London varied. Replies to his questions showed that in Great Britain the form grey is the more frequent in use, despite the authority of Dr Johnson and later lexicographers, who give the preference to gray. Many correspondents said that they used the two forms with a difference of meaning or application, the distinction most generally recognized being that grey denotes a more delicate or lighter tint than gray. Others considered the difference to be that gray is a warmer color or that it has a mixture of red or brown. Another group held that grey has more of sentiment, gray more of color, which may mean that grey is a suggestion rather than a positive outline.—New York Press.

A Surprised Landlord.

The very young traveling salesman was registering at the village hotel. "I want a room with running water in it," he remarked. "Runnin' water?" cackled the landlord. "What do you want to do, mister—practice indoor trout fishin'?"—Argonaut.

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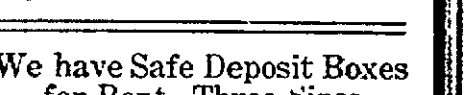
BANK OF CHARLEROI

FIFTH:—
It already enjoys the confidence and patronage of more than two thousand leading firms, corporations and individuals in this city and vicinity. This is evidence that our Banking Service is satisfactory in all departments and therefore qualified to meet your requirements.

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Bank of Charleroi

Capital and Surplus \$227,500
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Open Saturday evenings from 8 to 9.



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That describes every garment by us. Right in every way, right material, right in fit and workmanship.

Before ordering your suit you should come in and see the new things we have got in cloths—and let us take you order before the rush come on.

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528 Fallowfield Ave.

Her Evidence.
"I had a colored woman before me as a complaining witness," said a criminal court judge. "She had a man held for trial by a city magistrate on the charge that he had attacked her with a pair of scissors. 'He mout near gouge mah eye out, judge,' she said to me. 'Jes' come at me lak a lion, he did, a-roarin', sub. He poke me in de face wiv dem scissors, judge, not once, but for four or five times. He jes' cut up my face lak it was a yald of ribbon, judge. The magistrate what held him to dis heah court says he nevah did hear tell of no more dangerous man.'"

"Well, I looked her over. She had a wide, smooth, yellow face that didn't have a mark on it. I told her to repeat her story, and she went all over it again, telling how the man had slashed her face with that pair of scissors."

"But, madam, I said, 'there isn't a mark on your face.'"

"Marks!" said she indignantly. "Marks! What I care for marks, lem me ask you dat? I got witnesses, I tell you."—New York Cor. Cincinnati Times-Star.

She Had Courage.
A self possessed young woman who knew no French strolled into one of the larger downtown cafes. She spoke to the waiter in that decisive tone which distinguishes the initiated and glanced over the French bill of fare with the nonchalant air of a Parisienne.

"I'll have," she began firmly as she plunged into the sea of French dishes—"I'll have—let me see. Oh, yes, I'll have some bisque tortoni, a sultana roll, pommes de terre and a little of that frouge. And, garcon, you might as well bring me a cup of coffee."

The waiter gasped. He started to speak, but the young woman froze him with one of those icy stares peculiar to the thoroughly sophisticated.

And the order arrived—two kinds of ice, boiled potatoes and a piece of cheese. But she ate it as if she had been used to that sort of diet all her life.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Stories on Doctors.
Sir Arthur Conan Doyle told several good stories of old fashioned practitioners he knew. There was one man, he said, who never used to wash out the half emptied bottles returned to him, but emptied them into one huge jar, from which he dispensed this mixture of medicines to his more obscure patients. "It is like grapeshot," he said; "one of them is sure to hit." There was another man who used to say, "When my patients are alive I don't know what is the matter with them and when they die I don't know whether they are dead." That was like the medical man who said to a lady whose husband he had been attending, "Madam, I have a very strong belief that your husband is dead, but if it is your wish I have no objection to a consultation."

Cute Little Girl.
One day while Katherine's mother was ill a cup of beef tea was prepared for her, but Katherine fancied it and drank almost all of it. Her father was about to scold her when her mother said:

"Never mind; it does me just as much good to see her drink it."

Shortly after this a dose of castor oil was prepared for Katherine, and she poured it into her doll's mouth.

"Why Katherine," said her astonished mother, "what did you do that for?"

"That's all right," Katherine replied, "it will do me just as much good if she drinks it."—Boston Herald.

The Danger of Criticism.
If you simply cannot help criticising at least be careful in selecting your victim.

A magazine editor to whom O. Henry had promised a story many times without delivering it sat down one day and wrote him thus:

"My Dear O. Henry—If I do not receive that story from you by noon to-day I am going to put on my No. 11 shoes and come down and kick you down your own stairs. I never fail to keep my promises."

Whereupon O. Henry replied:

"I, too, would keep my promises if I could do all my work with my feet."—Chicago Tribune.

The Battle of a Week.
The battle of a week was the great conflict at Tours in which Charles Martel overthrew the Saracens, A. D. 732. The members of the Saracen army are variously estimated at from 400,000 to 700,000, and the historians say that 375,000 were killed on the field. It is suspected that these figures are a gross exaggeration, but it is certain that few battles of history have been either so bloody or so decisive.

In the Mining Business.
"I think you said, Rastus, that you had a brother in the mining business in the west?"

"Yeb, boss, that's right."

"What kind of mining—gold mining, silver mining, copper mining?"

"No, sah, none o' those; calciminig."—Everybody's.

The Angel.
Wife—I am trimming up last year's hat to save the cost of a new one! Hubby—How good of you! You're a perfect little angel! Wife—Am I? Then give me \$10 to buy wings.

His Impression.
Mrs. Knicker—Now, will you remember anything, John? Knicker—Yep, I'm to turn the flowers out at night and sprinkle the cat.—Harper's Bazar.

REFRIGERATOR CARS.

Evolution of the Idea of "an Icebox on Wheels."

The refrigerator car was never invented, but just "fixed up." It was the idea of a New England railway man who needed some such thing as far back as 1851.

In June of that year the first refrigerator car is said to have made its trip from Ogdensburg, N. Y., to Boston. The car owed its origin principally to the fact that the farmers near Ogdensburg, who made a great deal of butter, were unable to ship it except in cold weather.

A railroad man named Wilder, at that time in charge of the through freight, thought it would be a good idea to rig up "an icebox on wheels," and he told this to the president of the road, who gave orders that the master mechanic should plan several of them.

At this time farmers were receiving only 12 cents a pound for their butter. The lead car was loaded with eight tons of it, sent through and allowed to stand in Boston till the product was sold. It brought 17 cents a pound after paying all expenses and commissions, and the plan was voted a success. In a short time the road had a regular service on, using a number of cars, and the idea spread rapidly.

Wilder did not patent his idea, but allowed it to be used by whoever so desired.—St. Louis Republic.

ODD VOLUMES.

They Are Members of a Unique Dining Club in London.

One of the most unique dining clubs in London is that known as the Sette of Odd Volumes, which was founded in 1878 and meets once a month from October to June. It consists of twenty-one volumes, or members, that being the number of the volumes of the Variorum Shakespeare published in 1821. There are also twenty-one supplementary members, who succeed to full membership as vacancies occur. The twenty-one rules of the club include the following:

Any Odd Volume losing his temper and failing to recover it shall be fined by the president the sum of 5 shillings.

Discussions about anthropology, religion and politics shall be put down by the president.

Any Odd Volume giving to another Odd Volume unasked advice shall be fined by the president.

No Odd Volume shall talk unasked on any subject he understands.

No Odd Volume's speech shall last longer than three minutes. If, however, the inspired Odd Volume has any more to say he may proceed until his voice is drowned in the general applause.

Volumes have to address each other as "Your Oddship."—Argonaut.

The Major's Tip.
When Major Banks was the best known figure around the race tracks of Cincinnati and the middle west he was extremely generous in tipping off his friends to "sure winners." One man who enjoyed his confidence and played the horses according to the major's advice lost all his ready money and finally succeeded in reducing himself to the point where he had to sell out his grocery business.

One afternoon, following the placing of his last ten dollar note as the major advised, he caught Banks by the arm and said tragically:

"Major, you've made me lose my last cent. I'm a pauper, and my wife and family are practically starving. I am now about to go down to the river and drown myself. It's all over for me."

"All right," answered Banks, "but in the event you change your mind meet me here at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. I think I'll have something good for you."—Exchange.

Kongo Tattooing.
In the Kongo colonies of Belgium both men and women are tattooed according to their status in society. A woman of high caste will have a design not unlike a zouave jacket worked upon her back, and it would seem that the native is as content with this mode of covering as if it were a substitute for clothing. By injecting the juice of certain herbs the scars left by the tattooing process retain a swollen appearance, giving the effect of bas-relief work. The thorns of the acacia are generally used as a needle, while a certain black clay is used as a coloring medium.

Classified.
Was there ever a better example of the witty and concise form of expression than the answer of the grim man who, when asked about the character of a neighbor, sententiously replied:

"Mister, I don't know very much about him, but my impression is he'd make a first class stranger."—Exchange.

Frigid.
Nell—That Miss Copleigh is an awfully cold sort of girl. Belle—Mercy, yes. Why, she's so frigid that whenever she goes on rainy days it snows.—Boston Transcript.

Irish Wit.
"I never give alms to a stranger," said old Shyster to a poor Irishwoman. "Shure, then, your honor will never relieve an angel," was the reply.—Judge.

Condemned Unheard.
From a notice in a Cornish church: "The preacher for next Sunday will be found hanging in the church porch on Saturday."—London Punch.

Cleanse the fountain if you would purify the streams.—Alcott.

Courtaut the Wolf.

Paris has forgotten the time when it used to go in terror of the wolves which carried off women and children from the streets and even raided the graveyards. At one time they became so mad with desire for human flesh that in a single week they devoured fourteen persons, all between Montmartre and the gate of St. Antoine.

On the vigil of St. Martin (says Grace James in "Joan of Arc") there was hunted and taken a horrible wolf, "which it was said had done more, and more cruelly, than many others put together. That day he was killed. He had no tail, and from that he was called Courtaut. There was as much talk about him as if he had been an outlaw of the woods or a cruel captain, and when he lived folk said to one another as they went forth to labor in the fields, 'Look out for Courtaut.' And on this day he was taken through Paris in a cart, dead, with his great jaws open, and all the people went to see, and they made holiday and rejoiced, because Courtaut could trouble them no more."

Rented Wedding Cakes.
There was something wrong with the cake, the baker said. It looked all right, and it smelled all right, but his artistic sense told him it would not taste all right.

"Then fix it up with an extra coat of icing and we will keep it for a renter," said the proprietor.

"Who in the world would rent a cake?" some one asked.

"Wedding parties," said he. "They want a big cake in the center of the table for show, but a cake of that size good enough for a wedding would cost more than they can afford to pay, so they order fine cake put up in individual boxes for the guests and use the bride's cake just as an ornament. They don't buy it; they rent it. Sometimes a cake is rented a dozen different times. After each wedding it is freshened up with a new coat of icing and looks as good as new for the next occasion. A good renter fetches about \$3 a wedding."—New York Press.

Sarcastic Cabby.
A certain nobleman, who may be called Lord X., bears the reputation of being somewhat stingy in money matters. On a wet afternoon he hired a cab to take him to Victoria station. Arrived at the station, he handed the cabman a shilling and of course was met by the inevitable demand for an extra sixpence.

"Certainly not," said the other promptly. "You came the longest way as an excuse to extort money. Why didn't you go through St. James' park?"

The cabman saw he had no chance and said sneeringly:

"Cos St. James' park is closed. That's why."

"Nonsense," said the other sternly.

"It's right, though," was the grave reply. "They say that Lord X. dropped a shilling coming across the park last evening, and the gates are closed until they find it."—London Tit-Bits.

Shut Her Up.
A young wife was continuously pestered by her mother-in-law about the way she was bringing up her firstborn babe. The young wife was intelligent and capable, and she was really doing very well with the baby. From her mother-in-law, however, she got nothing but sour advice, warnings and veiled abuse. One day the mother-in-law, looking fixedly at the mother with her baby on her lap, said angrily:

"A woman has no right to have a child if she doesn't know how to hold it."

"No, nor a tongue either," was the quiet reply.—Detroit Free Press.

Berlin.
"Berle," from which Berlin has caught her name, means uncultivated land. Slavonian Wends, the earliest settlers on the sandy plain, could make but little out of the soil. The population in 1832 was only 250,000. Less than forty years later it was 800,000, and now it runs into 2,000,000. The man who gave to Berlin its present form was Frederick II., but Frederick the Great and the Great Elector started the noble hobby of beautifying the wonderful city.

The Mantle of Charity.
The lady was making some remarks about the kind of clothing some other ladies at church had on.

"The finest garment a woman can wear," said her husband, "is the mantle of charity."

"Yes," she snapped, "and it is about the only dress, judging by the fuss they make over the bills, that some husbands want their wives to wear."

Sweden's "Church Boat."
The "church boat" is a popular institution in Sweden. It brings families to service from the farms around Lake Siljan to Leksand. The water route is the nearest and most convenient, and so the big boat goes from farm to farm along the shore picking up the churchgoers, who later return by the same route.—Wide World Magazine.

Counting the Cost.
"What's the cost of a marriage license?" asked a youth whose fancy had lightly turned to thoughts of carnal felicity.

"Well," answered his friend, "30 shillings down and your entire salary each week for the rest of your life!"—London Telegraph.

Where Time Doesn't Count.
A party of East Indian natives was found sitting in a row on the platform of a station after the train had left, and, being asked the reason, one of the men replied, "Oh, sahib, I was waiting till the tickets are cheap."

Coyle Theatre

JOHN PENMAN, Lessee and Manager

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Effective Home Remedy for Tuberculosis

It is a serious matter when the lungs are affected. A trip away or to a sanatorium is not only tremendously expensive, but it involves separation from home and friends. Some are benefited, but none can safely return. Eckman's Alternative is effective—no leaving home necessary. For example: results:

231 S. Atlantic Ave., Haddonfield, N. J.
Gentlemen: "In the Fall of 1905, I contracted a very severe cold which settled on my lungs. At last I began to raise sputum and my physician then told me I must go to California immediately. At this time I was advised to take Eckman's Alternative. I stayed at home and commenced taking it the last week in October. I began to improve, and the first week in January, 1906, I resumed my regular occupation, having gained 25 pounds, fully restored to health. It is now five years since my cure has been effected and I cannot praise Eckman's Alternative too highly. I have recommended it with excellent results."

(Signed) W. M. TATEM.
Eckman's Alternative cures Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Throat and Lung Affections. Ask for booklet of cured cases and write to the Eckman Laboratory, Philadelphia, Pa., for additional evidence. For Sale by all leading druggists and

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MANDO
Removes superfluous hair from any part of the body. The only safe and reliable depilatory known. Large bottle \$1.00, sample 10c. Send for booklet free.

Madame Josephine Le Fevre,
61205 Chestnut St., Philadelphia, Pa.
Hennings' Drug Store.

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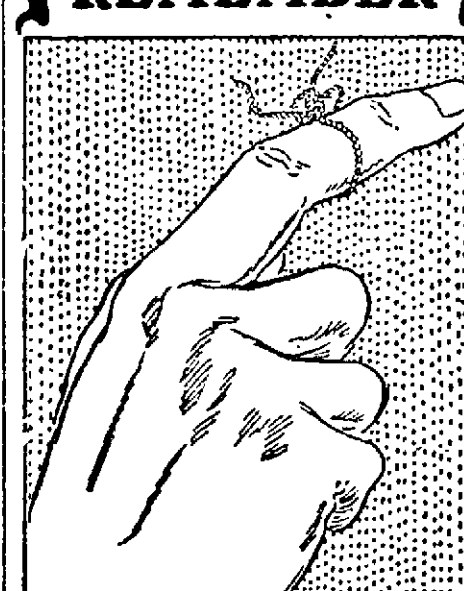
Estate of SERAPHIN TESTON, late of North Charleroi, Washington County, Pennsylvania, deceased.

Notice is hereby given that letters of administration upon the estate of said decedent have been granted to the undersigned. All persons indebted to said estate are requested to make payment, and those having claims or demands against the same will make them known without delay to

C. J. MATHEWS, Administrator,
Charleroi,
Washington Co., Pa.

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Washington, Pa.

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Want a Cook
Want a Clerk
Want a Partner
Want a Situation
Want a Servant Girl
Want to Sell a Piano
Want to Sell a Carriage
Want to Sell Town Property
Want to Sell Your Groceries
Want to Sell Your Hardware
Want Customers for Anything
Advertise Weekly in This Paper.
Advertising Is the Way to Success
Advertising Brings Customers
Advertising Keeps Customers
Advertising Insures Success
Advertising Shows Energy
Advertising Shows Pluck
Advertising Is "Biz"
Advertise or Bust
Advertise Long
Advertise Well
ADVERTISE
At Once

In This Paper

Your Printing

If it is worth doing at all, it's worth doing well.

First classwork at all times is our motto.

Let us figure with you on your next job.



You May Talk to One Man
But an advertisement in this paper talks to the whole community.
Catch the Idea?

"LOOK OUT FOR THE CARS"

DO YOU know of anyone who is old enough to read, who has not seen that sign at a railroad crossing?

If everyone has seen it at some time or other, then why doesn't the railroad let the sign rot away? Why does the railroad ~~merely~~ continue to keep those signs at every crossing?

Maybe you think, Mr. Merchant, "Most everybody knows my store, I don't have to advertise."

Your store and your goods need more advertising than the railroads need do to warn people to "Look Out for the Cars."

Nothing is ever completed in the advertising world.

The Department Stores are a very good example—they are continually advertising—and they are continually doing a good business.

If it pays to run a few ads round about Christmas time, it certainly will pay you to run advertisements about all the time.

It's just business, that's all, to
ADVERTISE in
THIS PAPER

OUR ADVERTISING COLUMNS

are read by the people because it gives them news of absorbing interest. People no longer go looking about for things they want—they go to their newspaper for information as to where such things may be found. This method saves time and trouble. If you want to bring your wares to the attention of this community, our advertising columns

Should
Contain Your
Ad
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Say, You!



HOW about that printing job you're in need of?

Come in and see us about it at your first opportunity. Don't wait until the very last moment but give us a little time and we'll show you what high grade work we can turn out.

Turn Over a New Leaf

By subscribing
for THIS PAPER

Clean Sweep Sale

Ladies' Coats & Suits Trimmed Hats

Coats---fancy mixtures at half price.
Trimmed Hats at less than half price.
25 handsome winter hats at one dollar.

Every Suit in the house at heavy reductions; some at half, some at less than half, and a few suits yet that will be sold for \$5.00. The skirts alone are worth more money. Only a few days more at these prices.

J. W. Berryman & Son

Fifth and McKean Ave. Charleroi, Penn.

ANTIQUITY OF CHEESE.

Homer and the Book of Job Allude to the Product.

Cheese and curdling of the milk are mentioned in the book of Job. David was sent by his father, Jesse, to carry ten cheeses to the camp and to look how his brother fared. "Cheese of kine" formed part of the supplies of David's army at Mahanaim during the rebellion of Absalom.

Homer says that cheese formed part of the ample stores found by Odysseus in the cave of the Cyclops Polyphemus. Euripides, Theocritus and other early poets mention cheese. Ludolphus says that excellent cheese and butter were made by the ancient Ethiopians and Strabo states that some of the ancient Britons were so ignorant that though they had abundance of milk they did not understand the art of making cheese.

There is no evidence that any of these ancient nations had discovered the use of rennet in making cheese. They appear to have merely allowed the milk to sour and subsequently to have formed the cheese from the caseous part of the milk after expelling the serum or whey.

As David when too young to carry arms was able to run to the camp with ten cheeses, ten loaves and an ephah of parched corn, the cheeses must have been very small.

Marvels of the Telephone.
The Electrical Review thus describes the minute electric current required in transmitting speech:
"The peculiar electric telephone cur-

rent is perhaps the quickest, feeblest and most elusive force in the world. It is so amazing a thing that any description of it seems irrational. It is as gentle as the touch of a baby's hand and as swift as the lightning flash. It is so small that the electric current of a single incandescent lamp is greater—500,000,000 times. Cool a spoonful of hot water just one degree and the energy set free by the cooling will operate a telephone for 10,000 years. Catch the falling teardrop of a child and there will be sufficient water power to carry a spoken message from one city to another. Such is the tiny genie of the wire that had to be protected and trained into obedience."

A Third Need.
"You need," said the expert to the sufferer, "two pairs of glasses, one for reading and one for long distance."
"Can't you make it three pairs?" asked the man who had made a study of his own case. "I'd like some short sighted ones to use on bill collectors."
—Nashville American.

An Apology
I wish to apologize to the public for the service rendered them on Saturday night. The crowd was so tremendous that we were unable to give the attention we desired. Call in any day this week and we will do all we can to redeem ourselves.
Louis Beigel.

Speers

MRS. BELL CROW DIES IN THE WEST

Sister-in-Law at Speers Received News of Demise—
Well Known Woman.

Mrs. F. J. Jackman of this place has received the news of the death of her sister-in-law, Mrs. Bell Crow, wife of the late Jacob Crow of Iowa, which occurred January 31. The news comes as a shock, no one here knowing of her sickness which was of short duration, being pneumonia. Besides a number of relatives on her husband's side she leaves two brothers and two sisters, Mrs. Julia Jackman, Mrs. Isaac Richards and Jefferson Duvall, Jr., of East Pike Run township and Henry Duvall of Fallowfield township.

Miss Mary Nichols and niece, Estelle Dunkerly, were McKeesport visitors over Sunday.

The people of this place are now rejoicing that the cable of the Charleroi telephone company is being put up and before another week passes by at least twenty independent phones will be in actual use in town, which will add much to the convenience of the people here as well as many in the country.

Dr. J. H. Miller, district superintendent of the M. E. church preached here Sunday afternoon, after which the regularly quarterly meeting was held. The regular routine of business was taken and all reports accepted. Among other business Elmer Taylor was confirmed as superintendent of the Sunday school and James W. Collins was elected as trustee of the church increasing the board from six to seven members.

The revival meeting began last night and from all indications a splendid good meeting is expected.

T. E. Beazell, the local oil merchant, has established a business at Coal Centre. L. A. Speed has been transferred from here to that place. Mr. Beazell expects to also open up a business in Perryopolis to accommodate the Yough river trade.

Mr. and Mrs. O. S. Kelly of Donora were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. F. McGowan at dinner, Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. L. R. Walters spent Sunday in Pittsburgh visiting relatives.

"The Great McEwen" magician, hypnotist and general entertainer, will begin an engagement at the Coyle Theatre tonight. He has a company of specialists and gives an entertaining all around exhibition.

Dr. F. C. Stahlman was a visitor in Donora yesterday.

Roy Richards of Pittsburgh, a former Charleroi resident, visited friends here over Sunday.

LOCAL MENTION

Interesting News Items Condensed for Busy Readers.

J. F. Gamble has returned home after an extended trip to the far west. During his trip he visited in Montana, Washington, Colorado, and many other states.

Rev. W. B. Sloan, of Pittsburgh, who has the reputation of being the oldest minister in the Pittsburgh Baptist Association, preached both morning and evening at the Baptist church yesterday.

H. C. Courtwright of Charleroi who has been relief operator on the Monongahela division, has been promoted to the position of train dispatcher with offices at Homestead.

Anyone wanting to hire a hand. Inquire 26 Mail office. 156t6p

Mrs. Jesse K. Johnston of Great avenue has gone to Foxen, Conn., for a visit with relatives.

Mrs. J. B. Barth of Washington avenue is visiting her mother in Braddock.

George Kline and Frank McClure visited in Pittsburgh yesterday.

Misses Neva Brown and Myrtle Majors spent Sunday in Brownsville with relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Thomas of Donora visited friends Sunday in Charleroi.

Mrs. H. E. Price and her sister-in-law, Mrs. Della P. Halstead, were Pittsburgh visitors today.

Mrs. Ida Chandler of Pittsburgh was a visitor over Sunday at the home of her son, Supt. A. H. Chandler of the Pittsburgh Plate Glass factory here.

FIVE WHITE MEN IN COLORED JOINT

Alleged Disorderly House
Pulled by Police Early
Sunday Morning.

Five white men, one colored man and three colored women were caught in a raid early Sunday morning on McKean avenue near Eleventh street by Chief of Police C. W. Albright and his men. All left forfeits of \$5 to appear for a hearing last night and three appeared before Burgess G. W. Risbeck, each to be fined \$3 and costs. Mrs. Paity is charged with having conducted the place. All told there were fourteen arrests made between Saturday night and Sunday morning and three on Sunday.

ORANGES HERE

The J. W. Walker Car of
Oranges on Siding

J. W. Walker has received his car of oranges and grape fruit and they are on the siding at the depot where they may be seen and tested.

Great care has been taken to get select fruit and all are guaranteed to be right.

The prices have been placed as low as possible and better fruit cannot be bought at any price. The fruit is raised on our own farm and no middle managers profit. 159t1

Classified Ads

FOR SALE—One good mare. Will work double or single. Will have colt in April. Two sets harness, one light spring wagon. See Joe Jones on Sundays at Allenport, Pa. 159t1p

WANTED—Half grown girl. Apply L. Collins, 218 Washington avenue. 159t1f

WANTED—Girl for general housework in small family. Apply 117 Mail office. 159t1p

FOR RENT—Room on Fifth street near Crest, ready for occupancy Feb. 17. Family of three—63 Mail office. 158t1f

FOR SALE—New National Cash register. A bargain. Apply 415 Fallowfield avenue. 158t3

FOR SALE—New four roomed house. Cellar cemented. Two large porches, good well and vacant lot 25x100 feet. Inquire of Mrs. E. Dorblitz, 817 Prospect avenue. 158t3p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms for light housekeeping. 819 Fallowfield avenue. 157t3p

FOR RENT—FLAT OF 5 ROOMS AND BATH. HOT AND COLD WATER, STEAM HEAT. APPLY GREENBERGS. 156t1f

LOST—Bunch of keys. Finder will be rewarded by returning to Mail office. 158t1f

FOR RENT—Three rooms for light housekeeping. Apply 139 Mail office. 151t1f

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Adolph Beigel

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S. & H.
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Selling Out Our Winter Stock at Prices Never Heard of Before

Men's and Ladies' \$4.00 shoes, sale price.	\$2.45
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Children's Legging worth 50c, sale price.	.19
Ladies' Overgaiters, worth 50c, sale price.	.19
Babies' 25c soft sole shoes, sale price.	.01
Babies' 75c fur top shoes, sale price.	.19
Ladies' red, blue, purple and white evening slippers.	1.48
Men's Gum Boots worth 3.50, sale price.	2.69
Ladies' warm lined Shoes worth \$2.00, sale price.	.90
Ladies' warm lined slippers worth 1.50, sale price.	.79
Boys' and Girls' shoes, worth 1.50, sale price.	.90
Ladies' rubbers worth 60c, sale price.	.39
Men's and Ladies' slippers worth 75c, sale price.	.29

SEE OUR WINDOWS AND FRONT for MORE PRICES

75 pairs mismatched shoes worth from \$1.00 to \$2.00, special. 15c

"Double" Green Trading Stamps from 8 to 11 A. M.

Bargain tables packed with bargains.
This sale will last till every pair of winter shoes is sold.

1/2 Price

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY,
FROM SATURDAY, FEBRUARY
11th TO SATURDAY, FEBRU-
ARY 18th.

Any Man's or Boy's OVERCOAT

IN THE STORE
CONVERTIBLE OR REGULAR
COLLARS.

At 1/2 Price

Handsome Gray, Brown, Black
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NEW CHURCH TO BE FINISHED BY ST. JEROME'S CONGREGATION THIS YEAR

Contract to be Let Shortly so That Work Can be Started Early in the Spring

REV. FRIES SEES BISHOP

Amount Requested Before Start is Made Now in Sight -- Plans Prepared Some Time Ago

Rev. W. D. Fries, pastor of St. Jerome's Catholic church, yesterday morning announced to his congregation that the contract for building the superstructure of the new church will be let as soon as possible and that the church will be built this year. This followed a visit to the bishop of the Pittsburgh diocese made last week by Father Fries, when the former examined the accounts of the church and by the financial statement was shown that the church was in shape financially to build. Something over \$6,000 is in the bank, and lately subscribed to the building is an amount something over \$3,000. Social affairs are planned by which the remaining amount of the \$10,000 required to start can be raised. The superstructure will cost between \$40,000 and \$50,000.

The foundations and basement of the new church were finished some time ago, and within the past year or two the last payment made. Since that time the congregation has raised the amount now in the bank. The superstructure will be completed as originally designed by Architect John T. Comes of Pittsburgh. The style of the architecture is an adaptation of modern English Gothic to the building conditions of America. The clerestory columns and arches are to be of Indiana limestone. The Gothic tracery windows will either be of concrete or stone. A large and massive tower will beautify the appearance of the structure. The sanctuary will be unusually deep and spacious to provide room for a boy choir. The rick used in the superstructure will be the same as that used for the basement and the roof will be covered with a variegated green and purple slate.

St. Jerome's congregation has had its history two pastors, Rev. Robert McDonald and Rev. W. D. Fries. Rev. Fries came here in 1905. He ministered to the wants of the parish alone until 1908 when Rev. T. A. O'Connell came as an assistant. Succeding assistants were Rev. O. J. Kirby and Rev. Axmacher who is now here. Rev. Fries has done much for the church during his pastorate and received the compliment from the bishop of having the best paying congregation in the Pittsburgh diocese. The first church of the congregation was on Crest avenue, which was sold some time ago and is now owned by a borough school board and occupied as a school house. For the past three years St. Jerome's congregation has occupied the basement of the new church.

Tuesday Night
Bank Hall, Dancing School. Prof. Atman will teach the Cuban Waltz, class 7:30. Social dance 9 to 12. Come and learn to dance in two lessons as others have done. 155t

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Are You Going Away?



If you expect to take a trip either in this country or abroad, do not forget to purchase some of our Travelers Checks. Then your funds will be secure and you can readily obtain all the necessary cash wherever you may be.

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

SUPPOSED BLACK HAND AGENT CAUGHT IN CHARLEROI AFTER YEAR'S SEARCH

Damage Done to Extent of \$800

Sunday Morning Fire Practically Destroys Tinning Establishment

Damage to the extent of \$850 or \$1,000 was done by fire at the tin shop of F. H. Ransom on McKean avenue, near Seventh street, early Sunday morning. Practically all the stock inside the building was destroyed. Mr. Ransom had insurance sufficient to cover the greater part of the loss. The flames are supposed to have started about the middle of the building, probably on the second floor. By the time the conflagration was discovered, they had eaten their way into various parts of the shop. Promptly upon the turning in of the fire alarm the firemen responded and within 15 minutes had the fire under control and not long after entirely extinguished.

Italian Alleged to Have Been Concerned in Colorado Outrage Arrested Here Today

CENTANNI WAS VICTIM

Demand Made That \$2,000 be Placed in Certain Locality--One Man Shot and Killed in Subsequent Fight.

In the arrest this morning of a man supposed to be Jack Mascarello, Chief of Police C. W. Albright thinks he has captured a much wanted Black Hand, of Pueblo, Colo. The arrest was made at the instance of Tony Centanni, formerly of Pueblo, who was in March, 1910, made a victim of the alleged Black Hand society of the Colorado city.

Tony Centanni, received a Black Hand letter in March of last year requesting him to leave \$2,000 at a certain spot. Arrangements were made to leave a little money and a roll of paper in the place and a posse of officers under Deputy Sheriff Joe Reilly would watch, and when the time came make the arrest of the men coming after the money. All went well. Three men approached the spot and after they had secured the packages and were about to leave hostilities were opened. One man, Sam Falconi, was shot and killed, but the two others escaped. Since that time efforts have been made to catch the two. Centanni, as well as other citizens and the better class of Italians of the city, have been conducting the search. Centanni has been moving about from place to place, having been threatened through letters that his life was not worth much if caught.

About six months ago, Mascarello is said to have come here. Through the help of friends in this section Centanni traced him, and yesterday came to Monessen and yesterday a friend notified Chief of Police Albright. This morning the man was arrested and Centanni came here. The arrested man recognized him. The affair has caused some commotion in local Italian circles because of the prominence of the man arrested. A telegram was sent to Deputy Sheriff Reilly at Pueblo informing him that Mascarello had been apprehended, and asking what disposition should be made of the case. It is expected that an effort will be made to have him taken to Colorado for a hearing.

Removal
Having purchased the property at 415 Fallowfield avenue, I will move my dyeing, cleaning and tailoring establishment there on February 15, where I will be better prepared than ever to serve my patrons and take care of all trade in my line.
R. O. Vetter.

Entertainment
The Junior Christian Endeavors of the Washington Avenue church will reproduce Tuesday evening at the church the entertainment "Over Sea and Land." All are invited. 158t2
Miss Ward of Pittsburgh is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Shilling.

FIRES INTO CROWD AND HURTS SIX

Negro Takes Severe Methods of Getting Revenge

TROUBLE OVER A DRINK

After having been knocked down and beaten up by foreigners, whom he is said to have refused a drink, Lusk Moxley, a negro is charged with having shot and wounded six foreigners at Manown late Saturday night.

Joe Melena, 27 years old, was shot in the right leg, 33 shot lodging in the limb. He was taken to the McKeesport Hospital today. Powell Zeth, 33 years old, was shot in the left leg, 46 shot lodging in the leg. He was taken to the Mercy Hospital at Pittsburgh today. Adam Saboski, 46 years old and Joe Silagoksi, 26 years old, were shot in the legs, as were two other foreigners.

It is stated that when the negro upon request refused to give one of the foreigners a drink the foreigner promptly knocked him down and others assisting beat the latter up. After being released Moxley went home and secured a shot gun. Returning to the Manown Hotel where he suspected the foreigners would be, he fired six charges in the door. A panic ensued and the man ran to his home, where he was later arrested by Constable Hobaugh.

Show February 22
Because of a mixup of dates which occurred in the Chicago booking office, "The Rosary", which was announced to appear at the Coyle Theatre on February 21, will not be here until February 22.



New Church Proposed of St. Jeromes' Congregation at Corner of Washington Avenue and Seventh Street to Cost Between \$40,000 and \$50,000

IMPORTANT CASES UP

Criminal Court Convenes Today at Washington.

RAILROAD CASE FIRST

The February term of criminal court will be convened this afternoon at 1 o'clock. There are a number of cases listed for today and they will not likely all be reached. The grand jury will also be in session a part of this week, not having completed its work last week. The first case listed for this afternoon is against H. F. Smith, the railroad detective, charged with indecent assault upon Miss Iva Bush a telegrapher, formerly employed at the Baird station tower of the P. V. and C. road. The following is the trial list for today:

H. F. Smith, William Barrett, Minnie Gillen, Bell Kambosos, William H. Lennox, Mrs. Lizzie Baxley, W. A. Divens, Ralph Holmes.
Sixty days in jail, a fine of \$100 and costs were imposed upon William Murray of Washington, who Saturday entered a plea of guilty to the charge of keeping a gambling house. In default of the payment of the fine and costs the defendant's sentence will be extended to five months in jail. The sentence is similar to that imposed upon the three Monongahela men on Monday.

Childrens Dancing School
Tuesday afternoon from 4 to 6. Lessons 25 cents. Bank Hall. 155t4
Mrs. Arthur Day left this morning for Harrisburg, where she will spend a few days as the guest of Mrs. J. K. Tener.

BIG AUDIENCE AT M. E. CHURCH

Sunday Evangelistic Services Occasion for Bringing Out Large Number.

Sunday morning at the Methodist Episcopal church Rev. J. H. Miller, D. D., of Pittsburgh district superintendent of the Washington District Methodist Episcopal denomination preached a strong sermon on "Spiritual Declension." A large congregation was present.

At night the church was crowded and the pastor preached on "God's Mother-love." Several persons signified their intention to lead a Christian life and marked interest was manifested by the congregation. Six persons have been received into the church by certificate and a large class will be admitted on profession of faith next Sunday. The interest and results are so manifest that it has been decided to continue the services during this week. Services will begin tonight at 7:30 when the pastor will preach on "The Gates of the City."

BROOM FACTORY FOR CHARLEROI

Charleroi is to have an up-to-date broom factory and wholesale house, but whether or not it will bring a reduction of prices in brooms is a question. Samuel Riggie is the proprietor of the plant. He has a ready started up at 429 Shady avenue. Three men will be employed at the place.

TESTS ARE ANNOUNCED

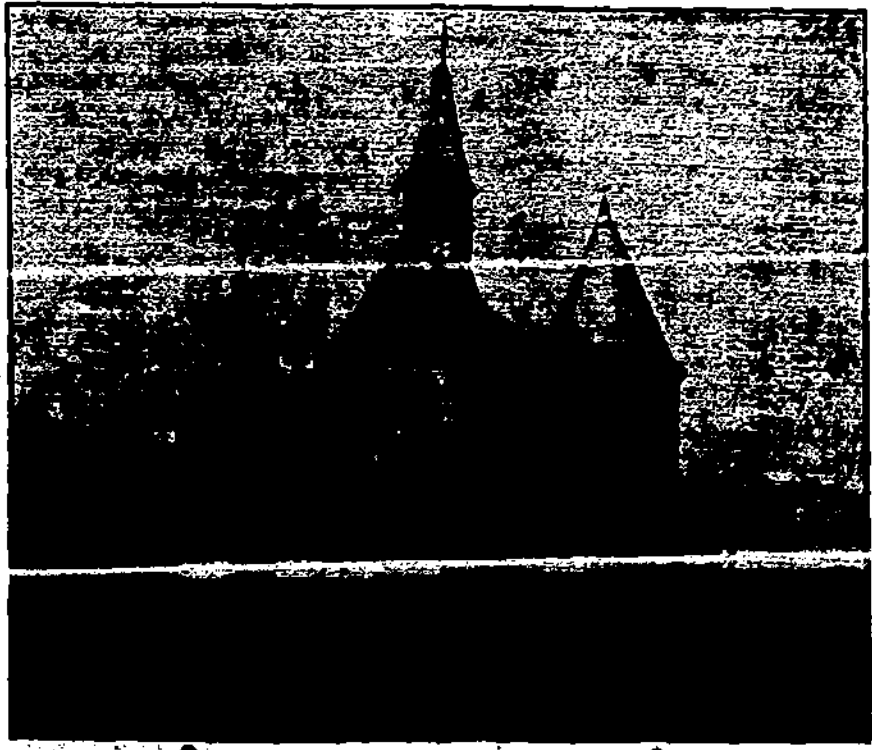
Civil Service Examinations Will be Held This Spring.

MANY POSITIONS OFFERED

W. E. McFall, the local secretary of the U. S. Civil Service board, has received notice that competitive examinations under the rules of the U. S. Civil Service commission will be held soon throughout the United States. There is a large list of positions on which these examinations will be held, ranging from agricultural inspector to wireman and including all classes of work. Male stenographers are much desired. The Commission has been unable to supply the demand for male stenographers and typewriters, especially at Washington, D. C. Young men who are willing to accept appointment at an entrance salary of \$840 to \$900 per annum have excellent opportunities of appointment. Advancement of capable appointees is reasonably rapid.


Mr. and Mrs. James Bateman, Sr., of West Middlesex, who have been visiting relatives in Charleroi for the past two weeks, returned to their home today. Mrs. George Wagner accompanied them to Pittsburgh.

Large crowds of out of town shoppers visited Charleroi Saturday night, and all the business places did a thriving business. Several of the stores advertised special sales and these attracted large crowds of buyers.



First Church Building Owned by St. Jerome's Catholic Congregation--Frame Structure on Crest Avenue.

We Have Broken the Spell



of high prices on optical work—it has paid us. Our business has increased so that we have a machine and can grind our own lenses.

We examine eyes free, but will give you glasses only when needed.

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tlement of estates, public sales, live stock
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Feb. 13 in American History.
1728 - Cotton Mather, Puritan in the
New England witchcraft raid, died.
born 1663.
1766 - Benjamin Franklin appeared be-
fore the house of commons to plead
the cause of the American colonies.
1789 - General Ethan Allen, the Green
Mountain hero, died; born 1720.
1843 - Commodore Isaac Hull, Ameri-
can naval hero, commander of the
famous frigate Constitution, died;
born 1774.
1886 - A food memorable in the annals
of New England reached its height.
1897 - John Randolph Tucker, a noted
Virginia lawyer, died; born 1823. Gen-
eral Joseph O. Shelby, celebrated
leader of the Mississippi as a dash-
ing Confederate cavalry command-
er, died.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow)
Sun sets 5:27, rises 6:50; moon rises
5:52 p. m.

For County Commissioner

JOHN J. CAIRNS,

ROSCOE, PA.

Primaries, Saturday, June 3, 1911

What it Costs.

Along with talk of State laws
governing weights and measures
should be a net weight container
law—a statute governing the
weights and contents of every
package of food products sold.
Such a law has been passed in
North Dakota, and after its en-
forcement the Food Commission-
er of that State asserts that
there was an increase of from 17
to 21 per cent in the contents of
canned goods alone, without cor-
responding increase in price.
The people of that State are now
getting what formerly they paid
for and didn't get.

A recent magazine writer
states that according to the re-
port of the Massachusetts legis-
lative committee which investi-
gated the high cost of living, one
brand of oat flakes cost 7.5 cents
a pound in packages, as against
3.3 cents in bulk. Corn meal
cost in packages 5.6 cents as
against 2.5 cents in bulk. Soda
biscuit, with the corners cut off,
costs 15 cents a pound in pack-
ages that can be bought in bulk
for 10 cents. Bacon that can be
bought at from 30 to 35 cents a
pound in bulk costs 57 cents in
glass cans. How many people
would buy food products at those
prices if they knew what they
were paying as compared with
actual weight?

The extent of this overcharge
can be realized when it is con-
sidered that fully ninety per cent
of all groceries sold nowadays is
in package form. While the
package does not state the
weight, it approximates the
pound or two-pound package in
bulk, but is short enough to pay
for the package, the cost of put-
ting the product up, at the re-
tail selling price. No one is to
blame for this condition but the
people themselves, and when
each package is required to tell
its net weight or contents, the
public will not pay for what it
does not get.

Producers' Gas

With natural gas a monopoly,
and constantly rising in price,
whenever the companies think
the public will stand for a raise,
cheap fuel can no longer be held
out as an inducement for manu-
facturing concerns in this natural
gas territory. In seeking to
overcome this obstacle and build
up their town, the member of the
Washington Board of Trade have
been investigating producers' gas
as a fuel for manufacturing
plants. This is gas produced
from coal as needed by a specially
designed apparatus, which has
been brought to a large degree
of perfection. Experts who in-
stall these plants say that at the
county seat with the prevailing
price of coal producers' gas can
be supplied at an equivalent of
eight cents a thousand cubic feet,
as compared with natural gas.

This is a question that should
be investigated along the river
district. With the advancing
price of natural gas cheap fuel
is no longer an asset. Coal, of
course, is abundant and cheap,
but in the modern process of
many lines of manufacturing
fuel gas is essential. With the
abundance of coal this gas can
be produced more cheaply than
natural gas. Plants of this sort
would be doubly valuable, inas-
much as they would consume a
basic product of the valley that
at present has to contend with
great competition and conse-
quently low markets. The Pitts-
burg Plate Glass company and
some of the other big plants
have long used producers' gas,
and its merits should be investi-
gated as to its utility for small
concerns.

Would Help All

President Taft's resolute stand
for better trade relations with
Canada is a step in the right di-
rection, and should command the
support of the people. Canada
is virtually a part of us, and we
have shown our friendliness to
our northern neighbor by leav-
ing the border unprotected and
unfortified from a military point
of view. An agreement now to
have unrestricted trade across
the imaginary line that separates
the two countries should have the
effect of bettering conditions
all around.

Following out the theory of
protection to home industries,
there is a disposition on the part
of some of the minor interests to
file some objections to reciproc-
al trade with Canada. Investi-
gation, however, shows that
Canada's surplus agricultural
products do not anywhere ap-
proximate our own, and that this
country exports millions of dol-
lars' worth of agricultural pro-
ducts more each year than does
Canada. With unrestricted trade
and a domain of free land across
the border, a large community of
interests can be promoted. Can-
ada has the land and the resource
to be developed, and we have
the people and the manufactures
to help along this development
that will benefit us as much as
our neighbor.

ELECTRIC SPARKS

Of course seeing that CharleROI is
to have a new station we are not
averse to Monongahela getting one.
We never were.

Peary put up his overcoat to settle
a restaurant bill. Doc Cook would
have put up a bluff.

Saturday is just as much a week
day as the rest of the days in the
week. The difference is that it
comes at the end.

Of course the eager populace are
impatiently waiting the arrival of
pictures of that vulgar Mexican war.

Belle Vernon must be getting pros-
perous. A place that can support
chicken thieves as it has been doing
certainly must hold some of this
world's goods.

Anybody can ride on those aviation
frames that wants to, but not until

we are ready to kick the bucket and
have boosted our insurance to about
\$150,000 need they ask us to go.

The most popular way for a woman
to get a fortune is to get a rich man,
get him married to her, get a divorce
and get alimony.

Our honored eagle likewise brings
His share of strange regrets—
They've decked his ankles out in
things
That look like pantalets.

The Monessen congregation that
wants "Billy" Sunday to come there
had better think where it can raise
\$10,000 handily before it even writes
to him.

Conversation is one of the side
lights on Cupid's carriage; it is, also
one of the blights of civilization.

Women talk about cooks and
clothes and the men about weather
and women. Wouldn't it be much
better if the women would confine
their time more to their knitting and
the men more to a better method of
letting the other fellow have his
share of rights?

The woman who makes up her mind
to keep still a certain length of time
is never successful in her desire for
the reason that she immediately
wants to talk about it.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

"The inhumanity and selfishness
that one hears in connection
with the management of hospitals,
sanitariums and other public institu-
tions was most forcibly brought to
notice by a letter I received from a
friend last week, announcing the death
of her brother of tuberculosis," said a
CharleROI woman in a company where
the subject of charitable institutions
was under discussion recently. "My
friend, who is a young woman, was
in Florida with her invalid father,
while her brother had been sent to
one of the noted sanitariums in this
State for treatment for tuberculosis."

"A short time ago the young
woman received a telegram from the
officials of the sanitarium announcing
that the death of her brother was
imminent. She at once started for
his bedside. Arriving there on a
Wednesday, she was informed that
she must remove the dying man from
the institution before the following
Friday. She of course objected to
this order, and on insisting for a
reason for this barbarous proceed-
ing, was finally informed that the
action was taken to keep down the
death rate of the sanitarium. The
order was imperative, and the dying
man was removed fast in time to ex-
pire outside of the institution."

"I don't know whether this insti-
tution gets State aid or not, but to
my mind such an inhuman policy
should be investigated. An insti-
tution that solicits patients and then
kicks them out when they are dying
should not be permitted to exist."

While the realism of the photoplay
of the moving pictures is something
startling and infinitely ahead of real
stage productions, because of the
wide range of possibilities as to
scenery, properties and surroundings,
there are occasionally some incongru-
ities and inconsistencies as to detail
that are highly amusing to some of
the spectators. For instance, at
one of the local houses recently the
plot of a northern melodrama took
the scene of action into the lumber
woods. Brawny woodsmen were at
work felling trees for sawlogs. Their
axe work, however, was something
ridiculous. The haggling gauches they
made in the tree trunks clearly showed
them to be posing for the scene.

"Humph" snorted an old-time
lumberman in the audience. "Them
fellers at work there never had hold
of an axe before."

Some of the other incongruities
that are frequently witnessed in
colonial pictures are Revolutionary
battle scenes where the soldiers fight
with breech-loading Springfield rifles
of the type discarded by our Govern-
ment for the Krag-Jorgensen shortly
before the Spanish-American war.
This, however, is no worse than a
recent display of old fire arms in the
window of one of our local stores,
where a brace of percussion lock horse
pistols was labeled: "Used in the
battle of Bunker Hill."

"Hell isn't half as hot as it used
to be," remarked an elderly man who
was a recent visitor to CharleROI.
"When I make this statement I do
not want to be understood as scoffing
at any person's religious belief," he
continued. "I am simply stating a
truth as to the change that has been
wrought in the religious sentiment
of the times as well as in political,
social and material matters."

"When I was a boy sixty years ago
and lived in a small rural community
the subject of religion was a burning
question that was seldom absent from

popular thought and action. The
salvation of the individual soul was
the aim and object of all creeds, and
to attain this the fear of hell—the
real, burning lake of fire and brim-
stone, was pictured in its awful
effects. The soul of the individual
sinner was the preoccupation of all
ministers of the gospel, and every
community was disturbed over great
religious controversies regarding pre-
destination, free will, and other doc-
trinal questions.

"Today little attention is given to
the old-time theories of future pun-
ishment that used to terrify people.
The regeneration of collective human-
ity and the redemption of society are
the foremost questions with the
modern church. The gospel of fear
had given way to the gospel of love,
and men and women make bet-
ter resolves and devote themselves
unselfishly to the uplift of humanity
for the love they bear their fellows,
instead of being actuated by the fear
of being committed to a burning lake
of fire and brimstone for trivial
derelictions."

"Is the world better than it was
sixty years ago? Infinitely so. We
hear much about the worldly selfish-
ness of humanity, but there is a thou-
sand times more human kindness,
charity and tolerance individually than
when I was a boy. Collectively there's
a big change for the better when each
individual thinks kindly of his neigh-
bors and fellow beings instead of
being chiefly concerned in saving his
own skin."

CHILDREN INJURED

Ordinary Cathartics and Pills
and Harsh Physic Cause
Distressing Complaints

You cannot be over-careful in the
selection of medicine for children.
Only the very gentlest bowel medi-
cine should ever be given, except in
emergency cases. Ordinary pills,
cathartics and purgatives, are apt to
do more harm than good. They
cause griping, nausea and other
distressing after a effect that are fre-
quently health destroying and a life-
lasting annoyance.

We personally recommend and
guarantee Rexall Orderlies as the
safest and most dependable remedy
for constipation and associate bowel
disorders. We have such absolute
faith in the virtues of this remedy
that we sell it on our guarantee of
money back in every instance where
it fails to give entire satisfaction, and
we urge all in need of such medicine
to try it at our risk.

Rexall Orderlies are eaten like
candy. They are particularly prompt
and agreeable in action, may be taken
at any time day or night; do not
cause diarrhoea, nausea, griping,
excessive looseness or other undesir-
able effects. They have a very
natural action upon the glands and
organ with which they come in con-
tact, act as a positive and regulative
tonic upon the relaxed muscular coat
of the bowel and its dry mucous
lining, remove irritation, overcome
weakness, tone and strengthen the
nerves and muscles and restore the
bowels and associate organs to more
vigorous and healthy activity.

Rexall Orderlies completely relieve
constipation, except when of a sur-
gical character. They also tend to
overcome the necessity of constantly
taking laxatives to keep the bowels
in normal condition. Two sizes of
packages, 10 cents and 25 cents. Re-
member you can obtain Rexall Rem-
edies in CharleROI only at our store—
The Rexall Store—Carroll Drug Store,
623 Fallowfield avenue.

The Tombigbee.

"Do you know the origin of the
name of the Tombigbee river?" asked
the well informed man "Well," he
went on, "it is Choctaw, every syl-
lable, only the word is not 'Tombig-
bee'; it is 'Tom-bi Ik-bee' two words,
the 't' being short in each instance.
Long ago Choctaws inhabited the
section now embraced within the state
of Mississippi and Alabama and tra-
versed by the stream that song was
about. Nearly a century ago a white
man—a carpenter—came among the
Indians. He lived on the banks of
the stream and among other things
made rude coffins for burials. Indians
at that time 'buried' their dead upon
an arbor supported by poles, but they
gradually came to the white man's
custom of burying in earth and went
to the white man carpenter to get
their boxes. From this incident, I am
told, the stream received its name.
'Tom-bi' meaning box and 'Ik-bee'
meaning make or maker, only they
added the word 'bok,' which signifies
river or creek, so, literally translated,
the combination means 'the river
where lives the man that makes boxes.'
Time as well as the Anglo-Saxon
disposition to round corners in pro-
nunciation Anglicized 'Tom-bi Ik-bee'
into 'Tombigbee'—Wichita Eagle.

The Getaway Fellows.

"What is this 'wanderlust' you read
of so often as compelling people to
leave home?"
"I don't know," replied Mr. Camrox;
"but, judging from my observation of
people who have it, 'wanderlust' is
German for 'creditors'."—Washington
Star.

A CALL TO OUR SALE

Our Big sale is making happy cus-
tomers all along the valley.

Think of some of the values we are
offering at our sale.

ONE-HALF OFF OF THE TRUE VALUES on Rain-coats and Overcoats

OVERCOATS

\$10.00 Overcoats \$ 5.00
\$15.00 " \$ 7.50
\$20.00 " \$10.00

RAINCOATS

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a performer who went through many
wonderful feats perched on the top of
a single bamboo stick about fifteen
feet in height. The top of the stick
was tied to a girdle around his waist,
and a leg rest was provided by a cush-
ion a few feet down the pole. Perched
on this slender stick he bopped and
danced about in the liveliest way, ac-
companied by the tapping of a drum.
It would be considered a skillful feat
to walk about with ease on a pair of
stilts fifteen feet in height, but this
Hindu showed a marvelous power of
equilibrium on a single stick. He did
other things even more wonderful. For
example, he balanced a light stick on
his nose and a heavy one on his chin
and then threw the heavy one into the
air with his head and caught it on the
end of a light one. While balancing
the two sticks thus, end on end, he
made one revolve in one direction and
the other in the opposite direction.

"Gray" and "Grey."

What is the difference, if any, be-
tween "gray" and "grey," aside from
the matter of spelling?

The editor of the Oxford Dictionary
some years ago made extended inquiry
as to usage and found that opinions in
London varied. Replies to his ques-
tions showed that in Great Britain the
form grey is the more frequent in use,
despite the authority of Dr Johnson
and later lexicographers, who give the
preference to gray. Many correspond-
ents said that they used the two forms
with a difference of meaning or appli-
cation, the distinction most generally
recognized being that grey denotes a
more delicate or lighter tint than gray.
Others considered the difference to be
that gray is a warmer color or that it
has a mixture of red or brown. An-
other group held that grey has more of
sentiment, gray more of color, which
may mean that grey is a suggestion
rather than a positive outline.—New
York Press.

A Surprised Landlord.

The very young traveling salesman
was registering at the village hotel.
"I want a room with running water
in it," he remarked.
"Runnin' water?" cackled the land-
lord. "What do you want to do, mis-
ter—practice indoor trout fishin'?"—
Argonaut.

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Her Evidence.
"I had a colored woman before me as a complaining witness," said a criminal court judge. "She had a man held for trial by a city magistrate on the charge that he had attacked her with a pair of scissors. The man near-gouge her eye out, judge, she said to me. 'Jes' come at me lak a lion, he did, a-roarin', sub. He poked me in de face wiv dem scissors, judge, not once, but for four or five times. He jes' cut up my face lak it was a yubd of ribbon, judge. The magistrate what held him to dis heah court says he nevah did hear tell of no more dang'ous man.'"

"Well, I looked her over. She had a wide, smooth, yellow face that didn't have a mark on it. I told her to repeat her story, and she went all over it again, telling how the man had slashed her face with that pair of scissors."

"But, madam, I said, 'there isn't a mark on your face.'"

"Marks!" said she indignantly. "Marks! What I care for marks, lem me ask you dat? I got witnesses, I tell you."—New York Cor. Cincinnati Times-Star.

She Had Courage.
A self-possessed young woman who knew no French strolled into one of the larger downtown cafes. She spoke to the waiter in that Parisian tone which distinguishes the initiated and glanced over the French bill of fare with the nonchalant air of a Parisienne.

"I'll have," she began firmly as she plunged into the sea of French dishes—"I'll have—let me see. Oh, yes, I'll have some bisque tortoni, a sultana roll, pommes de terre and a little of that fromage. And, garcon, you might as well bring me a cup of coffee."

The waiter gasped. He started to speak, but the young woman froze him with one of those icy stares peculiar to the thoroughly sophisticated.

And the order arrived—two kinds of fies boiled potatoes and a piece of cheese. But she ate it as if she had been used to that sort of diet all her life.—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Stories on Doctors.

Sir Arthur Conan Doyle told several good stories of old-fashioned practitioners he knew. "There was one man, he said, who never used to wash out the half emptied bottles returned to him, but emptied them into one huge jar, from which he dispensed this mixture of medicines to his more obscure patients. 'It is like grapeshot,' he said; 'one of them is sure to hit.' There was another man who used to say, 'When my patients are alive I don't know what is the matter with them and when they die I don't know whether they are dead.' That was like the medical man who said to a lady whose husband he had been attending, 'Madam, I have a very strong belief that your husband is dead, but if it is your wish I have no objection to a consultation.'"

Cute Little Girl.
One day while Katherine's mother was ill a cup of beef tea was prepared for her, but Katherine fancied it and drank almost all of it. Her father was about to scold her when her mother said:

"Never mind; it does me just as much good to see her drink it."

Shortly after this a dose of castor oil was prepared for Katherine, and she poured it into her doll's mouth.

"Why Katherine," said her astonished mother, "what did you do that for?"

"That's all right," Katherine replied, "it will do me just as much good if she drinks it."—Boston Herald.

The Danger of Criticism.

If you simply cannot help criticizing at least be careful in selecting your victim.

A magazine editor to whom O. Henry had promised a story many times without delivering it sat down one day and wrote him thus:

"My Dear O. Henry—If I do not receive that story from you by noon today I am going to put on my No. 11 shoes and come down and kick you down your own stairs. I never fail to keep my promises."

Whereupon O. Henry replied:

"I, too, would keep my promises if I could do all my work with my feet."—Chicago Tribune.

The Battle of a Week.

The battle of a week was the great conflict at Tours in which Charles Martel overthrew the Saracens, A. D. 732. The members of the Saracen army are variously estimated at from 400,000 to 700,000, and the historians say that 375,000 were killed on the field. It is suspected that these figures are a gross exaggeration, but it is certain that few battles of history have been either so bloody or so decisive.

In the Mining Business.

"I think you said, Rastus, that you had a brother in the mining business in the west?"

"Yeh, boss, that's right."

"What kind of mining—gold mining, silver mining, copper mining?"

"No, sah, none o' those; calcimining."—Everybody's.

The Angel.

Wife—I am trimming up last year's hat to save the cost of a new one! Hubby—How good of you! You're a perfect little angel! Wife—Am I? Then give me \$10 to buy wings.

His Impression.

Mrs. Knicker—Now, will you remember everything, John? Knicker—Yep, I'm to turn the flowers out at night and sprinkle the cat.—Harper's Bazar.

REFRIGERATOR CARS.

Evolution of the idea of "an icebox on wheels."

The refrigerator car was never invented, but just "fixed up." It was the idea of a New England railway man who needed some such thing as an icebox on wheels.

In June of that year the first refrigerator car is said to have made its trip from Ogdensburg, N. Y., to Boston. The car owed its origin principally to the fact that the farmers near Ogdensburg, who made a great deal of butter, were unable to ship it except in cold weather.

A railroad man named Wilder, at that time in charge of the through freight, thought it would be a good idea to rig up "an icebox on wheels," and he told this to the president of the road, who gave orders that the master mechanic should plan several of them.

At this time farmers were receiving only 12 cents a pound for their butter. The ice car was loaded with eight tons of it, sent through and allowed to stand in Boston till the product was sold. It brought 17 cents a pound after paying all expenses and commissions, and the plan was voted a success. In a short time the road had a regular service on, using a number of cars, and the idea spread rapidly.

When a refrigerator car was sent to a farmer it was allowed to be used by whoever so desired.—St. Louis Republic.

ODD VOLUMES.

They Are Members of a Unique Dining Club in London.

One of the most unique dining clubs in London is that known as the Sette of Odd Volumes, which was founded in 1875 and meets once a month from October to June. It consists of twenty-one volumes, or members, that being the number of the volumes of the Variorum Shakespeare published in 1821. There are also twenty-one supplementary members, who succeed to full membership as vacancies occur. The twenty-one rules of the club include the following:

Any Odd Volume losing his temper and failing to recover it shall be fined by the president the sum of 5 shillings.

Discussions on anthropology, religion and politics shall be put down by the president.

Any Odd Volume giving to another Odd Volume unasked advice shall be fined by the president.

No Odd Volume shall talk unasked on any subject he understands.

No Odd Volume's speech shall last longer than three minutes. If however, the inspired Odd Volume has any more to say he may proceed until his voice is drowned in the general applause.

Volumes have to address each other as "Your Oddship."—Argonaut.

The Major's Tip.

When Major Banks was the best known figure around the race tracks of Cincinnati and the middle west he was extremely generous in tipping off his friends to "sure winners." One man who enjoyed his confidence and played the horses according to the major's advice lost all his ready money and finally succeeded in reducing himself to the point where he had to sell out his grocery business.

One afternoon, following the placing of his last ten dollar note as the major advised, he caught Banks by the arm and said tragically:

"Major, you've made me lose my last cent. I'm a pauper, and my wife and family are practically starving. I am now about to go down to the river and drown myself. It's all over for me."

"All right," answered Banks, "but in the event you change your mind meet me here at 3 o'clock tomorrow afternoon. I think I'll have something good for you."—Exchange.

Kongo Tattooing.

In the Kongo colonies of Belgium both men and women are tattooed according to their status in society. A woman of high caste will have a design not unlike a zouave jacket worked upon her back, and it would seem that the native is as content with this mode of covering as if it were a substitute for clothing. By injecting the juice of certain herbs the scars left by the tattooing process retain a swollen appearance, giving the effect of bas-relief work. The thorns of the acacia are generally used as a needle, while a certain black clay is used as a coloring medium.

Classified.

Was there ever a better example of the witty and concise form of expression than the answer of the grim man who, when asked about the character of a neighbor, sententiously replied:

"Mister, I don't know very much about him, but my impression is he'd make a first class stranger."—Exchange.

Frigid.

Nell—That Miss Copleigh is an awfully cold sort of girl. Belle—Mercy, yes. Why, she's so frigid that wherever she goes on rainy days it snows.—Boston Transcript.

Irish Wit.

"I never give alms to a stranger," said old Shyster to a poor Irishwoman. "Shure, then, your honor will never relieve an angel," was the reply.—Judge.

Condemned in Earnest.

From a notice in a Cornish church: "The preacher for next Sunday will be found hanging in the church porch on Saturday."—London Punch.

Cleanse the fountain if you would purify the streams.—Alcott.

Courtaut the Wolf.

Paris has forgotten the time when it used to go in terror of the wolves which carried off women and children from the streets and even raided the graveyards. At one time they became so mad with desire for human flesh that in a single week they devoured fourteen persons, all between Montmartre and the gate of St. Antoine. On the vigil of St. Martin (says Grace James in "Joan of Arc") there was hunted and taken a horrible wolf, "which it was said had done more and more cruelly, than many others put together. That day he was killed. He had no tail, and from that he was called Courtaut. There was as much talk about him as if he had been an outlaw of the woods or a cruel captain, and when he lived folk said to one another as they went forth to labor in the fields, 'Look out for Courtaut.' And on this day he was taken through Paris in a cart, dead, with his great jaws open, and all the people went to see, and they made holiday and rejoiced, because Courtaut could trouble them no more."

Rented Wedding Cakes.

There was something wrong with the cake, the baker said. It looked all right, and it smelled all right, but his artistic sense told him it would not taste all right.

"When it comes to the taste of being and we will keep it for a renter," said the proprietor.

"Who in the world would rent a cake?" some one asked.

"Wedding parties," said he. "They want a big cake in the center of the table for show, but a cake of that size good enough for a wedding would cost more than they can afford to pay, so they order one cake put up in individual boxes for the guests and use the bride's cake just as an ornament. They don't buy it; they rent it. Sometimes a cake is rented a dozen different times. After each wedding it is freshened up with a new coat of icing and looks as good as new for the next occasion. A good renter fetches about \$3 a wedding."—New York Press.

Sarcastic Cabby.

A certain nobleman who may be called Lord X, bears the reputation of being somewhat stuffy in money matters. On a wet afternoon he hired a cab to take him to Victoria station. Arrived at the station, he handed the cabman a shilling and of course was met by the inevitable demand for an extra shilling.

"Certainly not," said the other promptly. "You came the longest way as an excuse to extort money. Why didn't you go through St. James' park?"

The cabman saw he had no chance and said sardonically:

"Cos St. James' park is closed. That's why."

"Nonsense," said the other sternly.

"It's right, though," was the grave reply. "They say that Lord X dropped a shilling coming across the park last evening, and the gates are closed until they find it."—London Tit Bits.

Shut Her Up.

A young wife was continuously pestered by her mother-in-law about the way she was bringing up her first-born babe. The young wife was intelligent and capable, and she was really doing very well with the baby. From her mother-in-law, however, she got nothing but sour advice, warnings and veiled abuse. One day the mother-in-law, looking fixedly at the mother with her baby on her lap, said angrily:

"A woman has no right to have a child if she doesn't know how to hold it."

"No, nor a tongue either," was the quiet reply.—Detroit Free Press.

Berlin.

"Berle," from which Berlin has caught her name, means uncultivated land. Slavonian Wends, the earliest settlers on the sandy plain, could make but little out of the soil. The population in 1882 was only 250,000. Less than forty years later it was 800,000, and now it runs into 2,000,000. The man who gave to Berlin its present form was Frederick II., but Frederick the Great and the Great Elector started the noble hobby of beautifying the wonderful city.

The Mantle of Charity.

The lady was making some remarks about the kind of clothing some other ladies at church had on.

"The finest garment a woman can wear," said her husband, "is the mantle of charity."

"Yes," she snapped, "and it is about the only dress, judging by the fuss they make over the bills, that some husbands want their wives to wear."

Sweden's "Church Boat."

The "church boat" is a popular institution in Sweden. It brings families to service from the farms around Lake Siljan to Leksand. The water route is the nearest and most convenient, and so the big boat goes from farm to farm along the shore picking up the churchgoers, who later return by the same route.—Wide World Magazine.

Counting the Cost.

"What's the cost of a marriage license?" asked a youth whose fancy had lightly turned to thoughts of conjugal felicity.

"Well," answered his friend, "30 shillings down and your entire salary each week for the rest of your life!"—London Telegraph.

Where Time Doesn't Count.

A party of East Indian natives was found sitting in a row on the platform of a station after the train had left, and, being asked the reason for the delay, one of the men replied, "Oh, sah, I was waiting till the tickets are cheap."

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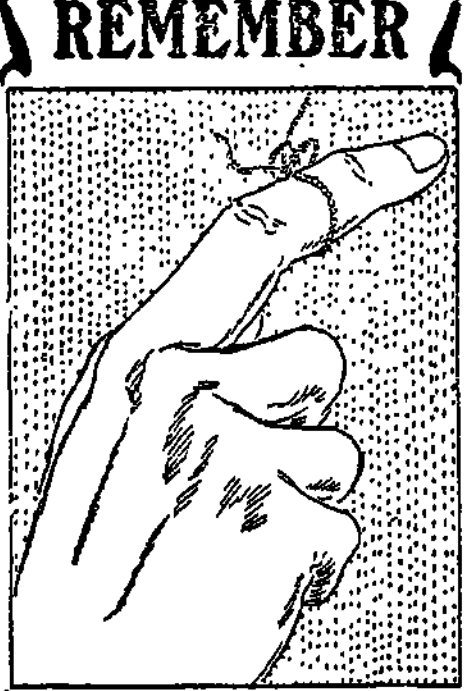
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